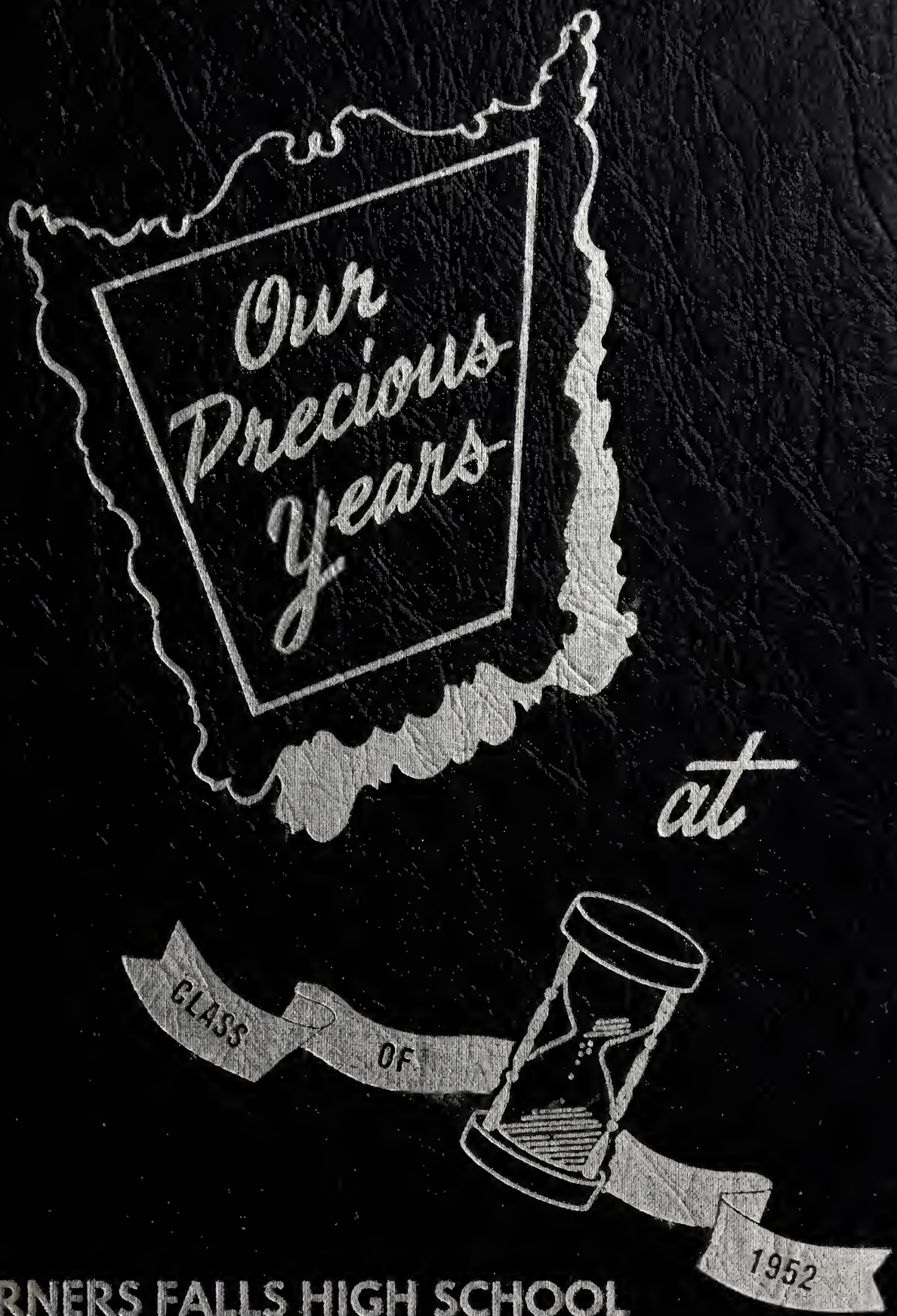

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Memories

Will You Ever Forget —

When "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay?"
Damase as our lover —?
Ernie's fifty pumpkins?
Miss Teed dancing the polka?
Those tears after the Thanksgiving Game?
Netop meetings and those delicious cakes?
That memorable trip to the Skinner Museum?
The New England Festival at Rutland?
Perpetual motion DeDee?
Janice Clark's water-wings (What a night)?
The Thanksgiving Pirates?
Henry Madden's forty winks in History class?
The "Mile of Pennies"?
Our seafaring Junior Prom?
"Our Director" — Bob LeVitre?
That first talk in Public Speaking class?
Senior English?
Band trips to football games?
"Zino" tackling the big ones?
Those typing records?
Hacksaw's dexterity on crutches?
Tito singing "Sound Off"?
That first Greenfield-Turners Falls Basketball game?
And most of all that spectacular and stirring second night of Senior Play —
Audience, stage crew, and actors — one heart, one mind, one soul — and all for the Class of '52?

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Dedication

To a man, who you remember introduced many of us into the mystifying worlds of biology during our Freshman year;

A man whose wise words quickened many minds

And whose clever quips and apropos references enlivened innumerable class periods;

A man who has been a friend to everyone,

Taking an active interest in all our activities, giving friendly advice and encouragement - - -

We, the class of Fifty-two, sincerely dedicate

This, our yearbook, to you,

MR. RICHARD PUTNAM

Our Superintendant

MR. ARTHUR E. BURKE

Here's to you, our guide and friend
Always ready, your help to lend.
No doubt we all will travel far
But no matter where we are
The grateful class of '52
Will cherish kindly, thoughts of you.

Our Principal

MR. GEORGE F. WRIGHTSON

The Class of '52 will always remember you, Mr. Wrightson, for your deep understanding, kind guidance and above all for those qualities which might have inspired Newman to write: "It is almost a definition of a gentleman to say he is one who never inflicts pain."

Our Advisor

TO OUR ADVISOR AND FAITHFUL FRIEND
FOR THESE PAST FOUR YEARS

FLORENCE E. PORTER

We, the Class of 1952
Extend our deepest appreciation to you
For your untiring efforts and sympathetic understanding.
Nor shall we forget the endless patience with which you handled our trials and tribulations.
But, above all, will be remembered your kindly word and cheerful smile which made the impossible a reality.

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Our Mathematics Department

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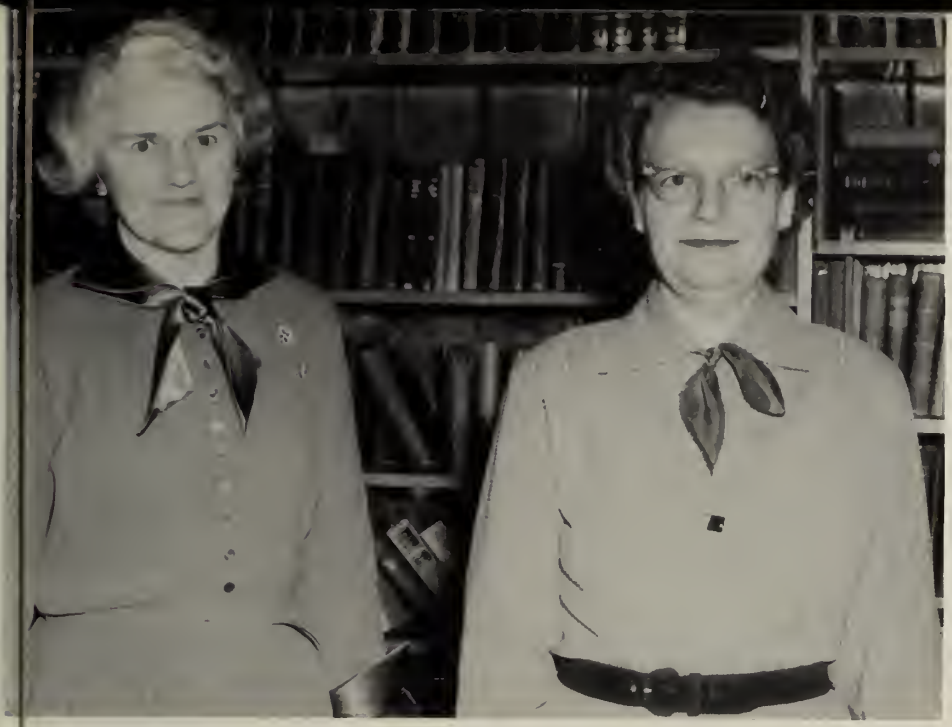

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Faith is the Force of Life

Class Colors - Green and White

Class Flower - Carnation

DAVID JAMES BEAUBIEN
"Hacksaw"

"The will to do, the soul to dare."

First on our list of the Class of '52 is everybody's friend, Hacksaw, our president. He played football for two years and was a member of the French and Latin Clubs. He did an excellent job as business manager on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs. He also played "Johnny Drake" in the Columbus Day play and portrayed the dashing "Monsieur de La Croix" in the senior play.

SHIRLEY KOZIK
"Shirl"

"Her modest manner and kind heart
Will put her on to a good start."

Shirl was our capable class treasurer, efficiently handling not only the numerous class accounts for three years but acting as business manager for Junior Prize Speaking. She served on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs, and was also a member of the French, Art, and Glee Clubs, being secretary of the latter during her senior year. Shirley was an assistant coach for senior play, chairman of the Columbus Day production, "His First Dress Suit," and ushered at the Junior Prom, Sophomore Social and Freshman Hop.

ROBERT WINSTON LEVITRE
"Bob"

"Application is the price to be paid for mental acquisition."

Bob, our class historian, was a member of the band for four years, being its student director his senior year. Moreover, he was a member of the Swingsters. He demonstrated his histrionic ability in the Junior Prize Speaking Contest and in the Legion Oratorical Contest. He climaxed both with his magnificent portrayal of Cornelius Otis Skinner in "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay." Bob was a member of the Glee Club as well as business manager on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs. Bob attained the high standards of Pro Merito and was awarded the Harvard prize book his junior year.

FREDERICK RIEL
"Buddy"

"A carefree jolly way he had."

Buddy has been our vice-president for the past three years. He was very active in sports playing four years of football, two years of basketball, two years of baseball and for three years he was on the track team. Buddy was in the French, Art, "T", and Boys' Glee Clubs. He also ushered at the Sophomore Social and at the Junior Prom.

CAROLYN ANN HAWLEY
"Carol"

"We enjoy thoroughly only the pleasures that we give."

Carol, the class secretary, has shown her active interest in all school activities — by becoming a member of the Girls' Glee Club, its president her senior year, French, Art, History and the Community Service Clubs. She was on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs as well as one of our efficient office girls. Carol was in the Columbus Day play and was an able assistant to Miss Teed for senior play. She proved her knowledge of Home Economics Club while serving on various dance committees.

RALPH M. AKEY

"He's most always smiling and gay
With a few serious moments each day."

Ralph has been quite active in sports since he transferred from Greenfield High School. He played football, tennis, and varsity basketball his senior year. He was a member of the History and Boys' Glee Clubs and served as an usher at the Junior Prom.

ALBERTA LOUISE AREL "Berta"

"A smile for all, a welcome glad,
A jovial coaxing way she had."

Berta was a member of the Home Economics and History Clubs. She also was an usher at the Sophomore Social.

JOSEPHINE MARY BANASIAK "Joey"

"Always a helping hand to a person in trouble."

Joey hails from Montague and in her freshman year was a member of the Home Economics Club. She served on the refreshment committees for various dances and was a member of the Commercial Club. She also was an efficient office clerk.

MARGARET E. BERTRANG "Peggy"

"She eateth not the bread of idleness."

Peggy has displayed her good working ability by doing much club and committee work during her high school years. Besides being an active member of the Art, Community Service, Home Economics and Camera Clubs, she ushered and served at several dances.

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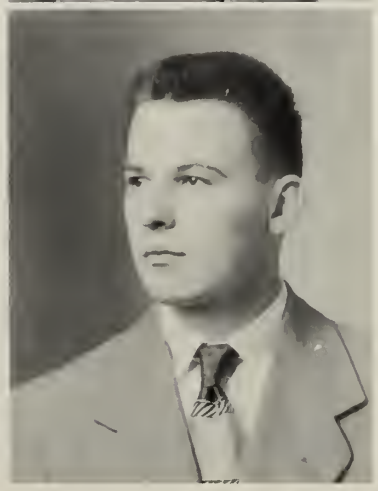
DAMASE CAOUETTE "Junie"

"A light heart lives long."

Junie ably played the part of "Dick Winters" in our senior play, and "Gil Pringle" in the Thanksgiving Day Play. His senior year he was elected president of the History Club, and was a member of the French and Art Clubs. He acted as an usher at our Junior Prom, and served on various other dance committees during his four years. In the sports field, Junie played basketball and baseball his freshman year and played intramural basketball for three years.



DAVID R. CARLISLE "Dave"

"A friend is nature's masterpiece."

David played freshman basketball, baseball and also one year of varsity football. He was a member of the "T" and History Clubs and was on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs. David also served as stage manager of the senior play, was co-chairman of the decorating committee for the Junior Prom and on the decorating committee for the Sophomore Social.

GEORGE ADRIAN CHAGNON "Chag"

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

Chag was a stage manager for senior play and an usher for Junior Prom and the Christmas Concert. He belonged to the French, History and Glee Clubs and served on various dance committees.

ANN MARIE CHARRON "Ann"

"Courtesy and grace of manner
are not veneer, they are polish."

Ann sang in the Girls' Glee Club and was a member of the French, Community Service, Art, Latin and History Clubs. She was on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs, secretary of the History Club, and played the part of the "Inspector" in senior play. Ann acted as chairman of the program committee for Junior Prom and ushered for various class dances. She portrayed "Mrs. Pepper" in the Armistice Day Play, "Homework."

JANICE MARILYN CLARK "Jan"

"Her face is sweet, her form is fair
Her artistic work is known everywhere."

Jan was one of our most active girls during her four years. She was in the French, Latin, History, Community Service Clubs and was also in the Glee Club, being a section leader her senior year. Jan ushered at the Junior Prom, was on the decorating committee and served on committees for various other dances. She was in the band, orchestra and swingsters. She played intramural basketball for four years, and was on the basketball, tumbling and softball teams. Jan was a very efficient member of the business staff for "Netop" and yearbook. Jan was chosen as Girls' State Representative of 1951. She was an alternate Junior Prize Speaker and displayed her acting ability in her portrayal of "Emily" in the senior play. Besides this heavy schedule she had time to be an office girl for Mr. Burke and was a Pro Merito.

GERALD JOHN COLLINS "Jinx"

"Not simple conquest,
triumph is his aim."

Jinx was active in sports, playing football, basketball and track for three years, tennis two years and baseball one year. He sang in the Boys' Glee Club and belonged to the Art and History Clubs. He displayed his acting ability by participating in Junior Prize Speaking and portraying "Leo" in the senior play. Jinx also served on various class dance committees. He also found time to be one of the sports editors on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs.

PAUL EDWARD CONWAY

"Gay and carefree, as everyone knows
He creates laughter wherever he goes."

Paul hails from Gill and joined us during our junior year, and soon after became a member of the varsity basketball team. He was a member of the Boys' Glee Club for two years, tennis team, Art and History Clubs. Paul also served on various dance committees.

RICHARD EARLE COSBY "Dick"

"His music expresses that which cannot be said."

Dick was another member of our class who was active in musical organizations by belonging to the band for three yeras, orchestra and Swingsters for two years. He was one of our capable stage managers for senior play and served on various class dance committees.

MARTHA FRANCES COTTER "Freckles"

"Her timely service, like timely gifts is doubled in value."

Freckles came to our Alma Mater her senior year from Methuen High School. Despite this fact she became an active member of the French Club and an amateur photographer in the Camera Club. She also lent invaluable assistance on various committees of the senior play.

PATRICIA ANN CRAY "Pat"

"Wit is the salt of conversation."

Most of Pat's time has been taken up in various clubs. She belonged to the History, Girls' Glee, Commercial, and Home Economics Clubs. She was one of our busy office girls for two years and served on many class committees.

JOAN IRENE CYHOWSKI "Joanie"

"To have the qualities of an artist is
A gift from heaven."

Joanie was a member of the Art Club for four years, being secretary as a junior and vice-president her senior year. She also belonged to the Home Economics and Commercial Clubs and was a Bank Day cashier. Joanie was on the art committees for the Sophomore Social and Junior Prom and was on the make-up committee for the senior play.

ETHEL MAY ENGLEHARD

"True friendship glistens and glows
Like a diamond."

Our quiet, persevering Ethel has been a member of the Community Service, Home Economics and Commercial Clubs; was a bank day cashier and secretary to Mr. Putnam. She also served on refreshment committees for various dances, and was on the costume committee for the senior play.

EDITH MAY FISKE "Edie"

"Her air, her manner,
All who saw admired."

Edie is greatly interested in music, having been a member of the band and orchestra for four years. She was also a member of the Art and Home Economic Clubs. She served as a property manager for senior play and was on several dance committees.

SHIRLEY ANN GALLANT "Chippy"

"Her life was generous
Filled to the brim with friendship."

Chippy was one of those snappy cheerleaders for three years and became captain her senior year. She was chairman of the Thanksgiving Day Play and portrayed "Therese" in the senior play. Chippy was active in various clubs including French, History, Community Service and secretary for both the Home Economics and Commercial Clubs. She was an office clerk, bank day cashier and secretary to Miss Reum. Chippy was a tumbler for two years and played intramural basketball besides ushering at the Freshman Hop and Variety Show.

ELIZABETH ANNE GALVIN "Betsey"

"Born with the gift of laughter"

Our lively Betsey has been very active in extra-curricular activities. She has taken part in band, orchestra and Junior Prize Speaking, as well as the Community Service, French, History, Latin and Art Clubs. She is a member of the Pro Merito Society and the "Netop" and yearbook staffs, and ushered for the Junior Prom. She hilariously portrayed Madame Elise in "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay."

JAMES HERBERT GAMLIN "Herbie"

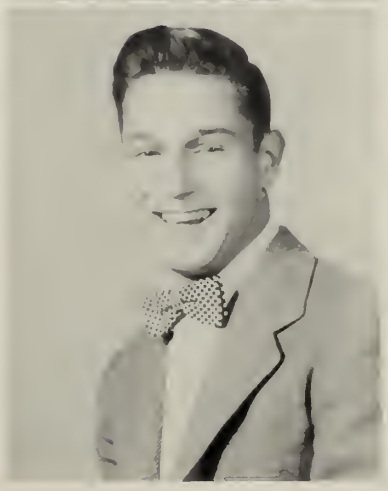
"There is honesty, manhood
and good fellowship in him."

Herbie was a quiet boy who didn't have a great deal of time for school activities, but did usher at the Junior Prom.

WILLIAM C. GAY "Billy"

"His laugh is just like sunshine
It freshens all the day."

Billy played football for four years being our powerful left guard on the varsity team. He played one year of basketball and baseball besides intramurals for three years.



RAYMOND KEMEL GEORGE "Zino"

"God does not measure men by inches."

Zino was right guard of the football squad and made All Western-Mass. second team his senior year. He was a member of the track team for two years and played intramural basketball. Zino also belonged to the "T" Club.

ELIZABETH GILLETTE "Betty"

"Happiness is in her every action."

Betty was one of the efficient girls in Mr. Burke's office her senior year. She was in the band for one year. Betty designed the cover for the Junior Prom dance program and was in the Art Club for one year.

JOYCE ANN GUILBAULT

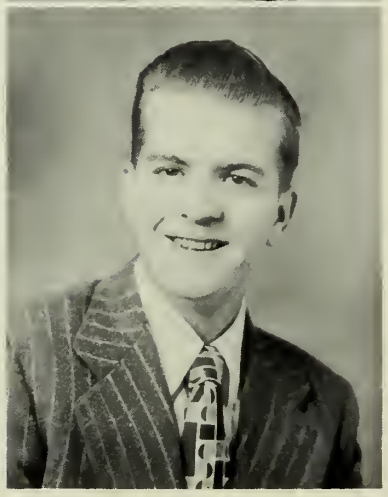
"Joyous are the busy . . . . . ."

Joyce as a twirler was one of our snappiest steppers for three years and was a lieutenant in her senior year. She was a member of the Home Economics, History, Commercial and Community Service Clubs. In her freshman year she played intramural basketball. Joyce was on the decorating committee and ushered for the Sophomore Social. She was chairman of the ticket committee and ushered for the Junior Prom. In business activities Joyce was business manager for the senior play, assistant bank cashier and secretary to Miss Porter.

DOROTHY JANE HAYDE "Dottie"

"A merry heart maketh
A cheerful countenance."

Dottie has been very active in clubs, being a member of the Art, History and Girls' Glee Clubs as well as serving on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs. She was also a "J V" cheerleader, co-captain her junior year and a member of the varsity squad for part of her senior year. She ushered for several class dances and for the Class Day and Graduation Exercises of '51. Despite all these activities, Dotty served on the make-up committee for senior play and attained the high rating of Pro Merito.



GERALD CHARLES HICKS "Bill"

"Politeness is small price to pay for
the good will and affection of people."

Bill hasn't had very much time, during his four years at Alma Mater, to take part in extra-curricular activities. During his senior year, however, he was a member of the decorating committee for the Freshman Hop.

ERNEST FRANKLIN HOULE "Ernie"

"Initiative is doing the right
thing without being told."

Ernie played basketball during his freshman year and track, his junior year. He was on the Sophomore Social committee and in the History Club for two years. Ernie ably assisted Miss Teed with her productions this year and for cooperating so wonderfully with the "Netop" he was made an honorary member.

DOROTHY MAY JOHNSON "Chicky"

"She's easy to look at."

Dorothy was a girl who didn't have a great deal of time for school activities but, for one year did blend her voice with the Girls' Glee Club.

PHYLLIS S. KAMINSKI "Philly"

"Our worth is determined by the good deeds we do."

Philly was on the news staff of "Netop" and yearbook and belonged to the Girls' Glee Club, being a section leader her senior year. Philly also was a member of the Community Service, Home Economics and Art Clubs. She ushered at the Freshman Hop and was on the refreshment committee for Junior Prom.

MARILYN HELEN KELLY

"How all her care was but to be fair,
And all her tasks to be sweet."

Marilyn has been active in musical organizations being a member for three years of the band, orchestra and Girls' Glee Club. In her senior year Marilyn was a cheerleader. She was one of the co-editors on the "Netop" and yearbook. She was chairman of the Armistice Day play and in the senior play portrayed the part of the young English girl, Winifred. Marilyn designed the decorations for the Junior Prom and served as co-chairman besides ushering for that social event. French, Latin, Art, History and Community Service Clubs were also on her agenda. During her junior year she ushered at Class Day and at Graduation. To top all these activities Marilyn was a member of the Pro Merito Society.

ELIZABETH ANN KEOUGH "Bette"

"Petit in size; great in mind,
A sweeter girl you'll never find."

Bette has been a very active student her four years being in the French, History, Community Service, Art, Latin and Girls' Glee Clubs. During her senior year Bette was on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs, was one of the energetic stage managers for the Columbus Day Play, enacted the role of "Helen" in the play "Homework" and was the "Stewardess" in the seniors' presentation of "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay." In addition she ushered at the Junior Prom and Sophomore Social, was chairman of the reception committee for Junior Prom, and served on the refreshment committee for the Freshman Hop.

BERNARD JOHN KOBERA "Bernie"

"A little nonsense now and then
Is relished by the wisest men."

Bernie played football, basketball, baseball and was on the track team. He played intramural basketball and belonged to the History and Boys' Glee Clubs. Bernie served on various dance committees and was one of the stage managers for senior play.

JOAN MARY KOCH "Cookie"

"Her ways are ways of pleasantness
and all her paths are peace."

Cookie was a twirler and Drum Majorette her senior year. She belonged to the French, Art and Glee Clubs and was one of our busy office girls. Cookie ushered at our class dances and at Graduation Exercises last year. She also served on the make-up committee for the senior play.

CHESTER FRANK KOSCINSKI "Chet"

"No greater hero than he who
conquers himself."

Chet was an active and able member of our football squad for three years. He was a member of the track team and played one year of basketball.

MARY HELEN KOSCINSKI "Mancha"

"Full of life, and full of fun
And a better friend there's none."

Mancha was one of our most capable basketball players for four years and belonged to the Home Economics, Commercial, Community Service and Glee Clubs. She was Mrs. Reidy's secretary, a Bank Day cashier and played intramural basketball. Mancha was on the costume committee for senior play and ably assisted on various dance committees.

REGINA JULIA KOSEWICZ "Rexie"

"She's very pleasant, but so shy,
But in the future she'll climb high."

Rexie was a very active student in our commercial department. She belonged to the Commercial Club and was one of our energetic Bank Day cashiers. Rexie was secretary to Mr. Garrahan and was a typist on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs. She helped as a property manager for senior play and served on various dance committees.

HENRY ANTHONY KOZLOSKI "Tito"

"He was not merely a chip of the Block, but the old Block itself."

Tito is our sportsman and songster. He participated in football, baseball, track and basketball, as well as being a member of the "T", History and Boys' Glee Clubs. He also ushered for the Sophomore and Freshman dances, and was a stage manager for the senior play.

STANLEY KRAUZ "Stachu"

"He fed his spirit with the bread of books and slacked his thirst at all the wells of thought."

Stanley came to this country four years ago from Germany, joining us during the Junior year. He immediately astonished all with his knowledge and use of our language, as well as with his mastery of many others, including French. Although Stachu worked late each afternoon, he still found time to participate in French Club his senior year.

LOUISE JANET KRUSIEWSKI

"If silence is golden, I've a friend a millionaire."

Louise belonged to the Home Economics, Commercial and Community Service Clubs. She was a Bank Day cashier and secretary to Mr. Galvin. Louise also worked in Miss Kelly's office during her sophomore year.

JAMES NORMAN LEMOINE "Jimmy"

"Direct not him, whose way himself will choose."

Jimmy was one of our tennis stars, continually noticed on the court for the past two years. He also was an usher for the Sophomore Social.

ALAN LENOIS "Ammo"

"Scholars are men of peace."

Ammo was one of our fine clarinetists in the band and Swingsters. He was an usher for the Sophomore Social and also attained the rating of Pro Merito for four years.

ROSEMARIE ANNE LENOIS "Deedee"

"Her talk was like a stream which runs
With rapid change from rock to roses."

Deedee played the clarinet in the band for four years and in the orchestra for two. She belonged to the Girls' Glee Club for three years and became librarian her senior year. Deedee was active in the Home Economics, Community Service, History and Commercial Clubs. In the Columbus Day play she portrayed Betty Harding and was an assistant director and on the make-up committee for senior play. She was Mr. Connelly's efficient secretary, bank day cashier and a member of the "Netop" and yearbook staffs.

FREDERICK JOSEPH LYMAN "Freddy"

"His limbs were cast in manly mold
For hardy sports or contests bold."

Freddy played hard clean football for four years and became captain his senior year. He played freshman and intramural basketball, was a member of the track team and managed the freshman and varsity baseball squad his junior year. A member of the "T" Club, "Netop" and yearbook staffs, Freddy also played the "Purser" in the senior play. He ushered at the Junior Prom and at various other dances.

HENRY JOSEPH MADDEN "Maddie"

"He is a gentleman because
his nature is kind and
affable to every creature."

Maddie was a valuable player on the basketball team for four years, baseball three years, track two years and football one year. He also served as a coat checker for the Sophomore Social and Junior Prom.

STANLEY WALTER MARKOL "Muscles"

"A good heart is better than all the heads in the world."

Muscles worked every afternoon and therefore did not have much time for extra-curricular activities. He played basketball and football his freshman year. Stanley played intramural basketball, and was on the Sophomore Social committee and ushered at the Freshman Hop his senior year.

MARY ANN MARLOWE "Marianne"

"As free as a leaf in the breeze."

Marianne was quite active throughout her high school career. She participated in the Glee, Art, Community Service and History Clubs. She played basketball and softball, was a "J V" cheerleader for two years, and varsity cheerleader the latter part of her senior year and a tumbler. Marianne was one of the efficient property managers for senior play. She also served on the decorating committee for Junior Prom and the Sophomore Social.

ELINOR ROSE McCLARY

"Her good taste is the flower of good sense."

Elinor has been rather an active girl during her four years. She warbled for the Glee Club for two years and was a band member for three years. She displayed her business ability as head cashier for Bank Day, secretary to Miss Argy, business manager for Junior Prize Speaking and vice-president of the Commercial Club. Elinor ushered at the Class Day and Graduation Exercises of '51. Moreover, she was a staff member on the "Netop" and art editor of the yearbook as well as a member of the History, French, Latin, Art and Community Service Clubs. Elinor also served on various dance committees. To top all these activities Elinor is a Pro Merito.

PHYLLIS CLAIRE MENTER "Phil"

"Her thinking is the talking of the soul itself."

Phyllis was a co-editor of "Netop" and yearbook as well as being a member of the Art, Latin and Girls' Glee Clubs and secretary of the French Club. Phil was one of our snappy twirlers and served as Captain her senior year. She placed second in Junior Prize Speaking and participated in the American Legion Oratorical Contest. Phil ably portrayed "Cornelia Otis Skinner" in our senior play and took part in the Christmas plays her sophomore and junior years. She served on the decorating committees for several class dances, ushered for Class Day and Graduation and also achieved the high rating of Pro Merito.

MIECZYSLAW STANLEY MIECZKOWSKI "Mitch"

"The one who rarely speaks is always listened to."

Mitch was one of the most industrious students of our class working long hours before and after school and still finding time to attain Pro Merito ratings in all subjects. Mitch was a member of the Art Club and French Club, being treasurer of "Le Circle Francais" during his junior year. Mitch's humorous portrayal of "Mr. Belvedere" in Junior Prize Speaking will long be remembered.

GEORGE FRANCIS MOMANEY

"His good company in a journey
makes the way to seem shorter."

George was a member of the basketball team his junior year and played intramural basketball for four years. He also warbled in the Glee Club his junior year. Moreover he was a member of the History Club and served on the decorating committees for the class dances. He added to the successful production of the senior play by being an efficient business manager.

PRISCILLA MULLINS

"Merit is worthier than fame."

Priscilla was a member of the Community Service, Home Economics, French and History Clubs. She was secretary to Miss Teed and Miss Purrington and a Bank Day cashier. Priscilla was a Junior Prize Speaker, and a "J V" cheerleader her sophomore year. She was a property manager for senior play.

ADELARD NADEAU "Junior"

"Always a smile on his face
No one could take his place."

Junior was a member of the French Club for two years and played intramural basketball throughout his high school days. During his freshman year he played basketball and baseball. Junior also served on the refreshment committee for the Sophomore Social.

JOYCE ANN NADEAU "Saucy"

"Beauty may charm the eye
But it is merit, that wins the heart."

Saucy's interest was centered chiefly around the commercial department as she was secretary to Miss Crean, cashier for the cafeteria department and for bank day. She was a member of the Home Economics, Camera, and Girls' Glee Clubs and served on various dance committees. Moreover, Saucy was one of our high stepping twirlers in the band.

NICHOLAS MICHAEL NELSON "Nickie"

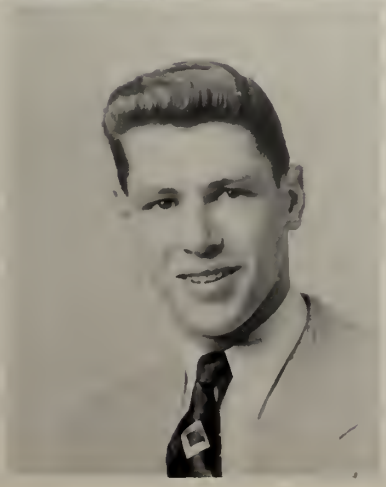
"He that is of a merry heart
hath a continual feast."

Nickie was the humorous "Window Cleaner" in senior play. He was a member of the French, Art, History and Glee Clubs. Nickie was on the football squad his freshman year and ushered at the Sophomore Social.

NORMA LEE NEWTON "Nonnie"

"She deserves Paradise who
makes her companions laugh."

Nonnie was a member of the Home Economics Club and served on various dance committees.



RICHARD NEWTON "Dicker"

"A little nonsense now and then
can do little harm."

Dick was active in sports playing football for four years, basketball three years and baseball two years. He was also a member of the track team for three years. Dick was in the History and Boys' Glee Clubs. He has ushered at all class dances and was stage manager for the senior play.

JEANNETTE THERESA PAULIN

"Thou hast the patience and the faith."

Jeannette was active in the French Club for three years becoming president her senior year. She was a member of the band for three years, belonged to the Art and Community Service Clubs, and also ushered at the Sophomore Social. Jeannette was on the make-up committee for senior play.

RAYMOND JOSEPH PAULIN "Ray"

"He lives to build, not to boast."

Raymond was active in musical organizations as he was a member of the band for four years, Boys' Glee Club for two years and orchestra for three years. He was a member of the "Netop" and yearbook staff. Ray was a student photographer and president of the Camera Club. He appeared in the play "Homework" and was an alternate for Junior Prize Speaking. As an electrician Ray helped on the senior play. He belonged to the History Club and was president of the Shop Club. Raymond ushered for the Freshman Hop and was coat checker for the Sophomore Social besides serving on the decorating committee for the Junior Prom.

ROBERT JOSEPH PAULIN "Bob"

"Of soul sincere, in action
faithful, and in honor clear."

Bob played football, and baseball his freshman year and took part in intramural basketball for four years. He was a member of the French and Boys' Glee Clubs. Bob also served on various dance committees.

THERESA PEARL PAULIN

"Wise to resolve, and patient to perform."

Theresa was very active in the business field by being secretary to Miss DesOrmeaux and assistant secretary to Mr. Burke. She was a bank day cashier and belonged to the Home Economics Club. Theresa served on the refreshment committee for the Junior Prom and on the costume committee for senior play.

ANNE LUCILLE PELLETIER "Annie"

"Her friends — there are many.
Her foes — are there any?"

Anne was a member of the Glee Club for three years, French, Art, Latin, History and Community Service Clubs. She served as an usher for Junior Prom and the Sophomore Social. Anne was a member of the yearbook staff and the "Netop." In the senior play she played the part of Mrs. Skinner and portrayed Mrs. Barton in the one act play "Double Date."

JEAN CATHERINE PETRUSKI "Jeannie"

"In silence may virtues lie."

Jeannie belonged to the History Club and was one of the property managers for the senior play.

ALPHONSE ALBERT GEORGE PLAZA "Al"

"'Tis good-will makes intelligence."

Al has had a varied record at Alma Mater. He played baseball for one year and was a member of the Art and History Clubs. He was an alternate for Junior Prize Speaking, and also took part in the one act play, "Homework." The aristocratic admiral in the senior play was none other than our Al. He also served on several dance committees.

NOREEN CLAIRE POWERS

"Sincerity is not art, it is heart."

Noreen was another member of the Home Economics Club her freshman year. She also belonged to the Commercial Club, was secretary to Miss Lindsay and was one of the capable Bank Day cashiers.

JOYCE MARILYN PTAK

"Whatever she did was done with so much ease."

Joyce was a bank day cashier and a member of the Commercial Club. She was Miss Little's secretary and served on various dance committees.

ROBERT JOSEPH REIL

"True silence is the rest of the mind."

Robert didn't have much time to spend on activities but did play freshman basketball. He also helped decorate for the Freshman Hop.

MARILYN GRACE REUM

"May her life be like a piano,
square, upright and grand."

Marilyn kept herself busy throughout high school by participating in a variety of activities. She was head clarinetist in the band, and belonged to the orchestra and Swingsters. She was a member of the History, French, Latin, Community Service, Commercial, and Art Clubs. Marilyn's musical talent was again noticed when she was accompanist for the Girls' Glee Club and also was a section leader. She participated in the Armistice Day Play; was an alternate for Junior Prize Speaking and played Harriet St. John in "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay." Marilyn served on several dance committees and was secretary to Mr. Bourdeau. Even though Marilyn was kept busy by these activities she was a business staff member of "Netop" and yearbook and attained Pro Merito rating.

MARGARET ETTA ROBINSON "Peggy"

"Silence may do good
And can do little harm."

Peggy ushered at the Freshman Hop and Sophomore Social and was on the Reception committee for Junior Prom. She belonged to the French, Art, and Community Service Clubs. Peggy also played intramural basketball for four years.

JOYCE ANN ROTH

"The thing that goes the farthest
towards making life worth while,
That costs the least and does
the most is just a pleasant smile."

Joyce has been active in musical organizations as she has been in the band for four years, orchestra three years and Swingsters besides being a member of the Girls' Glee Club for three years. Joyce was a member of the Latin, Art, Commercial, History and Community Service Clubs. Her acting ability was seen in the Thanksgiving Day one act play and she served on the property committee for the senior play. In sports Joyce played intramural basketball and was a secretary to Mr. Schuldt. She was chosen as an alternate for Junior Prize Speaking and served on the music committees for various dances.

NORMAN SCHNEIDER "Norm"

"He is always laughing for he
has infinite deal of wit."

Norm was a member of the Boys' Glee Club and played football for two years. He belonged to the band his freshman year and was in the Art and History Clubs. Norm was on the Junior Prom and Sophomore Social committees.

NOREEN CATHERINE SCHWARZ

"She's quiet, precise, and oh so neat
And there's loads of fun underneath."

Noreen was a twirler in the band for four years, a lieutenant in her junior year, and an expert violinist in the orchestra. She belonged to the French, History and Community Service Clubs. She was a Junior Prize Speaker and served as a property manager for the senior play.

RHEA MARY SHULDA

"Kindness is a language everyone
can speak and understand."

Rhea sang in the Girls' Glee Club and was a member of the Art Club. She was one of our hard working business managers for senior play and also ushered for the Sophomore Social and Freshman Hop.

ALECK F. SIRUM

"In every deed of mischief
he had a heart to resolve."

Aleck was a member of the band and orchestra during his freshman year. He belonged to the History Club and served on several dance committees.

PATRICIA ANN SIWIZKI "Pat"

"By the work we know the workman."

Pat was another of our busy members. She was one of the co-editors of the "Netop" and yearbook. She was an usher for Junior Prize Speaking and served on the decorating committee for various dances. Pat was also an office clerk. In musical activities she was a member of the Girls' Glee Club for three years, band for three years and orchestra for two years. Pat belonged to the Latin, History, French and Community Service Clubs. Even with all these outside activities she was a Pro Merito.

WALTER JOSEPH SLIVA

"A little shy
Yet a friend who'll stand by."

Since Walter works after school he has had little time for outside activities. He was one of Mr. Weiner's fine clarinetists in the band for one year and served on the decorating committees for Junior Prom and for the Freshman Hop.

REGINA JOSEPJHINE SOJKA "Sojk"

"Obliging and cheerful,
industrious and kind."

Our Sojk showed her great energy by being one of our best cheerleaders for three years besides belonging to the Latin, Art and History Clubs. She warbled many a sweet note for the Girls' Glee Club and devoted three years to the Community Service Club. Sojk was also a member of the Commercial Club, secretary to Miss McGillicuddy, and a bank day cashier. She served on the decorating committee for Junior Prom, property manager for senior play and found time to be a Pro Merito.

ELIZABETH ANN SOPOLLEC "Betty"

"At typing and shorthand she is just grand,
And always willing to lend a hand."

Betty is our peppy, likeable athlete. She has thrilled the onlookers with her four years basketball teamwork, both on the squads and in the intramural games, and was captain of the varsity team during her senior year. She also was on the softball team, and was president of the Home Economics and a member of the Commercial Club. Betty was secretary to Mr. Pike, ushered at the Freshman Hop, and was a typist on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs.

MARGUERITE ETHEL SQUIRES "Margie"

"Mistress of herself above all else."

A very good sports-minded girl, Margie belonged to the basketball team for four years and to the softball and tumbling teams. She has sung in the Glee Club since she was a Sophomore and was an active member in the Art, History, Camera and Community Service Clubs. Margie served on the make-up committee for senior play and took her share of laughs as the bratty sister in "Homework." She was also a member on the "Netop" and yearbook staffs. Moreover, she contributed much to the high school band through her excellent twirling ability. Serving on various dance committees took up much of Margie's time.

WALTER FRANCIS THOMPSON "Seeboy"

"Life is not so short but that
there is always time for courtesy."

Seeboy hails from the metropolis of "Monkey City" and was an ever present figure on the baseball diamond. Walter served on the refreshment for the Freshman Hop his senior year.

JOHN ROBERT THURSTON "Johnny"

"Excellence is the perfect excuse.
Do it well, and it matters little what."

John's versatility was discovered in the field of sports. He was on the track, basketball, football, tennis, baseball and intramural basketball teams, as well as being a member of the "T" Club. He displayed his musical talents in the Boys' Glee Club being president his senior year as well as its accompanist. Johnny was also a member of the Latin, Art, History, and French Clubs, being vice-president of the latter two for one year each. He portrayed the stately steward in the senior play. In addition to these, Johnny served on several dance committees and also attained rating as a Pro Merito.

CARL E. TOMPKINS
"Bud"
"Everyone cannot help but like this chap."

Carl was a member of the football team for one year and basketball for two years. He also sang with the Boys' Glee Club.

ALICE MARIE TIBBETTS
"The mildest manners and the greatest heart."

Alice was a member of the History Club and on the news staff of the "Netop" and yearbook. She belonged to the Pro Merito Society and helped "resurrect" costumes for the senior play.

JOHN C. URBAN, JR.
"Jackie"
"A little shy,
Yet a friend who'll stand by."

Jackie played football, freshman basketball and intramurals for three years. He was chairman of the capable coat checkers at the Junior Prom.

CHARLES A. WASIELEWSKI
"Wasie"
"A merry heart maketh
A cheerful countenance."

Charlie was a member of the baseball team his freshman year. He belonged to the Boys' Glee Club and was a most capable stage manager for the senior play. Wasie also served on various dance committees.

JOSEPH FRANK ZAK
"Joe"
"A quiet person is welcome everywhere."

In his freshman year Joe played basketball. He also played intramurals for two years.

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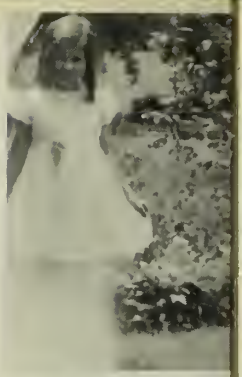

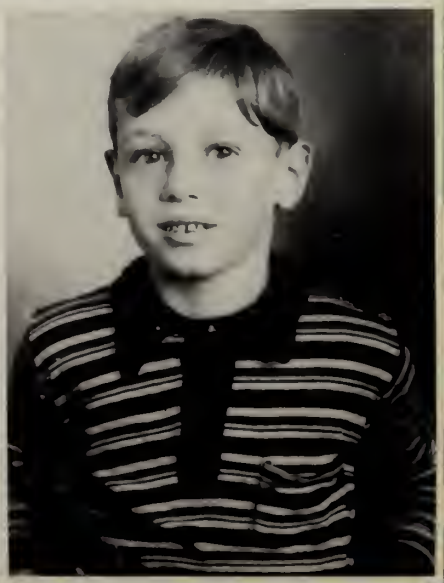

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Glimpses into Our Art Gallery

Name	*Pet Peeve*	*Hero*	*Saying*
Akey, Ralph	Dicker	Paul	"Where's Paul"
Arel, Alberta	Complaining	W. G.	"Gosh"
Banasiak, Josephine	Homework	L. L.	"I Don't Know"
Beaubien, David	DeeDee	R. N.	"Peel Me A Grape, Will Ya?"
Bertrang, Margaret	Drop Dead	L. W.	"Gee"
Caouette, Damase	C. A.	B. J.	"Are We Sinkin' Already?"
Carlisle, David	Bill's Jalopy	Wasie	"Let's Go"
Chagnon, George	Gossips	J. C.	"We'll See You"
Charron, Ann	Men Drivers	R. D.	"Big Deal"
Clark, Janice	Gossip	Arthur Godfrey	"Let's Go"
Collins, Gerald	E. B.	Hoppy	"No Kidding"
Conway, Paul	Myself	Secret	"Hi, Kids"
Cosby, Richard	Bing	"Tool"	"Merci Buckets"
Cotter, Martha	Homework	G. C.	"I Don't Believe Ya"
Cray, Patricia	Gum Chewers	Bill	"Are You Kidding?"
Cyhowski, Joan	Memorizing	E. M.	"Oh, Gee"
Englehard, Ethel	Slowpokes	R. T.	"Oh, No"
Fiske, Edith	Monday Mornings	R. H.	"Oh Dear"
Galvin, Elizabeth	History	Charlie S.	"I'm All Tight"
Gamlin, James	Period I	G. M.	"Hi There"
Gay, William	Girls Smoking	The Ole Boy	"Hi Baby"
George, Raymond	English	Margie	"Oh Yeah"

Glimpses into Our Art Gallery

Name	*Pet Peeve*	*Hero*	*Saying*
Gillette, Elizabeth	Joyce and Theresa	Bill	"What'd you say?"
Guilbault, Joyce	Brown Noses	Donny	"Come Here"
Hawley, Carolyn	Icy Roads	D. B.	"That's Terrific"
Hayde, Dorothy	Studying	Mr. X	"Where're We Going?"
Hicks, Gerald	School Mornings	Charlie G.	"Yactam?"
Houle, Ernest	Studying English	W. J.	"Well!"
Johnson, Dorothy	Conway and Akey	Gene	"Ain't That Nice?"
Kaminski, Phyllis	Staying home Sunday	Jerry Lewis	"Holy Cow!"
Kelly, Marilyn	Gossips	Bill	"Ah Don't You Know"
Keough, Elizabeth	Snowball Throwers	S. B.	"Fight It!"
Kobera, Bernard	"Water"	C. C.	"Corner Pocket"
Koch, Joan	Slowpokes	R. B.	"How About That"
Koscinski, Chester	English	F. Lyman	"Give Me One"
Koscinski, Mary	Homework	R. A.	"Go Ahead"
Kosewicz, Regina	B. S.	Cubby	"Oh, No"
Kozik, Shirley	Thinking	A. A.	"I Got A Charge Outta That"
Kozloski, Henry	English	Duke Snider	"I'm Broke!"
Krauz, Stanley	Discouraged	B. H. O.	"Come On"
Krusiewski, Louise	Wrong Typing Keys	N. D.	"Yeah"
Lemoine, James	English		"Say"
Lenois, Alan	Homework	Dropo	"You Don't Say"
Lenois, Rosemarie	Reumie	Dicker and Hacker	"Go Away"

Glimpses into Our Art Gallery

Name	*Pet Peeve*	*Hero*	*Saying*
LeVitre, Robert	Packards	B. W.	"Don't Take Wooden Nickels"
Lyman, Frederick	"Shoes? Shoes?"	Jeff	"Gun It"
Madden, Henry	English	J. M.	"Pardon"
Markol, Stanley	E. P. P.	John Davis	"Big Deal"
Marlowe, Mary	Dottie Hayde	?!?	"Oh Yeah"
McClary, Elinor	Fords	C. F. S.	"Don't Get Nervous"
Menter, Phyllis	Waiting	W. K.	"OH! Yeah"
Mieczkowski, M.	People	Joe Mankewicz	"Naturally"
Momaney, George	H. K.	St. John's	"Doggone It All"
Mullins, Priscilla	Studebakers	My Dad	"Fight It!"
Nadeau, Adelard	Teachers	Jerry Lewis	"How's Tricks?"
Nadeau, Joyce	Waiting for Theresa	Little Boy	"I'm In The Dog House"
Nelson, Nicholas	Gossip	BeBe	"Yeah, But"
Newton, Norma	High Heels and Socks	Howdy-Doody	"Oh, For Crying Out Loud"
Newton, Richard	Joyce and DeeDee	T. W.	"Neva"
Paulin, Jeannette	Tattletales	F. E.	"Ye Gads!"
Paulin, Raymond	Physics	Charlie G.	"What's The Matter"
Paulin, Robert	Girls	Ming	"You Think So"
Paulin, Theresa	Joyce and Bette	Bob	"Is That Right"
Pelletier, Anne	Men Drivers	E. S.	"Gee, That's Great"
Petruski, Jean	Whistling	H. H.	"O. K."
Plaza, Alphonse	Ancient History	Mitch Mitch	"Go On"
Powers, Noreen	Reporters	D. S. K. P. R.	"Who's Got A Better Right"

Glimpses into Our Art Gallery

Name	*Pet Peeve*	*Hero*	*Saying*
Ptak, Joyce	Homework	S. S.	"Ah Gee"
Reum, Marilyn	Talkative People	Three L's	"For Crying Out Loud"
Reil, Robert	Henry Long	Doc Williams	"Meta Kechuwa"
Riel, Frederick	School	N. P.	"I Don't Know"
Robinson, Margaret	One Of The Gang	J. C.	"Ya Like That, Huh"
Roth, Joyce	D. H.	Jim	"My Goodness"
Schneider, Norman	DeeDee	Charlie	"Hello"
Schwartz, Noreen	Showoffs	J. B.	"Huh"
Schulda, Rhea	Morning Rising	Cisco Kid	"I Don't Care"
Sirum, Aleck	Memorizing English	R. N.	"What 'd Yeh Say"
Siwizki, Patricia	Mr. Pike	R. G.	"Where's Anne"
Sliva, Walter	Deadheads	Mutt	"How About That?"
Sojka, Regina	Madden and Akey	R. A.	"I Almost Threw Fits"
Sopollec, Elizabeth	R. K.	D. G.	"Honestly"
Squires, Marguerite	Waiting for People	Jack	"I Got News For You"
Thompson, Walter	Let's Go	Russ	"Gosh All Mighty"
Thurston, John	T. V.	"Gypsy Joe"	"We Can Four In!"
Tibbetts, Alice	Trig	S. B.	"La Tee Da"
Tompkins, Carl	Paint	"Don't Believe In It"	"What — Roads"
Urban, John	Studying	A. Nadeau	"Whatcha Call It"
Waseleski, Charles	David Carlisle	M. S.	"My Brakes"
Zak, Joseph	Homework	Markol	"Don't Blame Me"

Masterpieces in Our Art Gallery

BEST DRESSED

David Carlisle — Carolyn Hawley

DONE MOST FOR CLASS

Ernest Houle — Marilyn Kelly

MOST DIGNIFIED

Damase Caouette — Ann Charron

MOST POPULAR

Fred Lyman — Marilyn Reum

BEST LOOKING

Fred Riel — Shirley Kozik

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Robert LeVitre — Phyllis Menter

MOST TALKATIVE

Paul Conway — Rosemarie Lenois

BEST ACTOR AND ACTRESS

Robert LeVitre — Phyllis Menter

BEST ATHLETE

Raymond George — Betty Sopollec

MOST MUSICAL

John Thurston — Marilyn Reum

BEST DANCERS

Richard Cosby — Carolyn Hawley

CUTEST

Carl Tompkins — Shirley Gallant

MOST BUSINESS LIKE

Raymond Paulin — Elinor McClary

MOST PLEASING PERSONALITY

Fred Lyman — Shirley Kozik

MOST COURTEOUS

Damase Caouette — Janice Clark

MOST RELIABLE

Ernest Houle — Marilyn Kelly

PEPPIEST

Paul Conway — Regina Sojka

MUTT AND JEFF

Richard Newton — Rhea Shulda
Raymond George — Shirley Gallant

MARTIN-LEWIS

Richard Newton — David Beaubien

MAD CHEMISTS

David Beaubien — Betsey Galvin

IRMA

Betsey Galvin

Class History

Well — we made it! Yes, the final standings have been compiled, the final awards have been presented, and the final farewells have been wished us. Before we go out into the great beyond, however, we'd like to leave a little something to remind you of us and all our exploits at T. F. H. S. Hence, the reason for this history.

It was a warm foggy morning in September when we freshmen all met for the first time. Most of us were slightly dubious about the "hundreds" of different rooms and "all those periods!" Quite a few were absolutely confounded by the mysteries of a combination locker. However, our class was not to be thwarted by such perplexing things as these, and in a few days all our difficulties were straightened out, thanks to the courtesy and help given us by the seniors. (???) During most of our freshmen year we were content to sit back and follow the examples set by the class of '49.

Then! Sophomores! *Now* we would "do somethin'," all right! We elected our first class officers, and what a thrill of accomplishment it was to put a big X opposite the name of our choice. We elected David Beaubien as our President, Fred Riel, Vice-president, Carolyn Hawley, Secretary, Shirley Kozik, Treasurer and Regina Sojka as Historian.

Under the guidance of our class teacher, Miss Porter, these, the "nobility" of our class, presented the Sophomore Social. Just think, our own *dance! Music* was by Bill Maloy, who convulsed one "soph" when he gave him an exhibition of the "mugging" he did while drumming. The gym was gayly decorated with snow-men in black hats.

Almost all the class showed up to put it over with a "bang!"

Our class ring was selected (I told you we were going places!) this year by a group of carefully chosen people. It is to their credit that we believe our ring to be the "best ever".

In June we attended our first graduation exercise, and we were proud as peacocks when we walked out of the auditorium as Juniors. We were now in the upper strata of high school life — upper-classmen, no less.

We really came into our own during our third year. Class elections were held and the victors were David Beaubien, President; Fred Riel, Vice-president; Carolyn Hawley, Secretary; Shirley Kozik, Treasurer; and Robert LeVitre, Historian.

Then it happened. On a fateful day in February, we were told that Prize Speaking tryouts would be held February 15! We all piled into Room 16 at 2:30 and really went to work. We were told that the task of the judges was extraordinarily difficult because of the keen competition. Those who were selected considered themselves lucky indeed. Chosen were Noreen Schwartz, Ferdinand DeSautels, Priscilla Mullins, Robert LeVitre, Betsey Galvin, Gerald Collins, Phyllis Menter, and Mieczyslaw Mieczkowski. Alternates were Janice Clark, Marilyn Reum, Joyce Roth, David Beaubien, Raymond Paulin, and Alphonse Plaza.

April 27, along came Prize Speaking. The selections were:

"Mary Elizabeth"	Noreen Schwarz
"Da Sweeta Soil," "Two Mexicana Men" and "I Take My Adelita to Da Fair"	Ferdinand Desautels
"The Standard of Living"	Priscilla Mullins
"Another Spring"	Robert LeVitre
"A Couple of Lunatics"	Betsey Galvin
"The Benches"	Jerry Collins
"The Bomb That Fell on America"	Phyllis Menter
"Belvedere"	Mieczyslaw Mieczkowski

The judges conferred for 28 minutes while the Prize Speakers did a jig backstage. They all filed into the auditorium amid tumultuous applause. There each was awarded a medal, by Mr. Franceschelli who in addition gave Honorable Mention to Mieczyslaw Mieczkowski; Third Prize to Jerry Collins; Second Prize to Phyllis Menter; and First to Robert LeVitre.

One week from that night, the Junior Prom was held. The gym was decorated in breathtaking beauty by Marilyn Kelly. It was designed on a "sea" theme, with aqua backdrop nets, corks, fish, and even air bubbles! Programs were designed on the same theme by Elizabeth Gillette.

And what a never-to-be-forgotten night *that* was! Girls in gowns representing every color in the spectrum, whirled about the floor with their formally-attired escorts. Even the *seniors* admitted it was one of the best they had ever attended. All who served on committees felt well rewarded for their labors when they heard that.

Graduation night, 1951. We watched the seniors solemnly file out and a strange feeling crept over us with the realization that we would have their shoes to fill. Sure, sure; before that night we had joked and said we were going to revel in our glory; we were going to back-clap the new Juniors; we were going to *be* something. Somehow, we didn't do any of those things. A new set of ideas was formed in our minds while we listened to the exercises. We felt differently. We were sober instead of hysterical. *Ours* was the responsibility now; it was *our* duty to set precedence and lead the school.

Our senior year began with the election of officers and all retained their offices. We welcomed the new "Frosh" at our freshmen reception. Japanese lanterns swung from the sides and rafters as the students danced around the floor.

November 29 we tried out for our Senior Play, "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay". Those winning roles were:

Cornelia Otis Skinner — Phyllis Menter

Emily Kimbrough — Janice Clark

Dick Winters — Damase Caouette

Leo McEvoy — Jerry Collins

Mrs. Skinner — Anne Pelletier

Otis Skinner — Robert LeVitre

Harriet St. John — Marilyn Reum

Winifred Blaugh — Marilyn Kelly

Steward — John Thurston

Admiral — Alphone Plaza

Purser — Fred Lyman

Inspector — Ann Marie Charron

Therese — Shirley Gallant

Mme. Elise — Betsey Galvin

M. De le Croix — David Beaubien

Window Cleaner — Nick Nelson

Stewardess — Bette Keough

The hours of rehearsal were interspersed with our daily party in which the girls brought cakes and the inevitable brownies, and the boys *always, infallibly* (??) brought coke. Ray Paulin kept Miss Teed hopping with his candid camera. (For the benefit of underclassmen, Miss Teed is photo-shy.) We can't forget the day we found sand fleas in our bed! Thanks to quick work by Louie Puhala, they were quickly exterminated. The card games backstage (in between changes of scenes, etc.) were *always* by Alphone Plaza. (We never could figure out why he always brought two decks of cards.) The "Big" party, after final performance, was worth all the hours of practice the cast had put into it.

June 19, 1952. This was it — this was the day we had all "kidded" each other about. "How glad we'll be to get out!" we had said. But we weren't. In fact, the last week of school was the most sorrowful we've ever gone through. We knew we were doing everything "for the last time". Graduation and the final assembly. We marched up the aisle and out those doors and believe us, undergrads, it is *not* easy. So we've graduated, and have passed on our torch to the Juniors. We hope they can do credit to it, and bring all the honor they can to TFHS, our "Alma Mater".

Signed:

ROBERT LEVITRE, Historian

Class Will

We, the class of nineteen hundred and fifty-two, having completed our four years sojourn in the Turners Falls High School do hereby bequeath the following outmoded treasure — to the exhausted teachers and overjoyed under-classmen who gleefully bid us a sad farewell.

The co-editors of the Yearbook, Marilyn Kelly, Phyllis Menter, Pat Siwizki, and art editor Elinor McClary, leave their brilliant minds and work-worn hands to those who attempt to take their places.

To Miss Porter we leave a record called, "A good student always reviews," so she will not have to strain her voice in future classes.

Our splendid voices in Senior Chorus we leave to Fred Waring and his Pennsylvanians.

Bob LeVitre leaves his 12 dozen joke books to Mr. Villeneuve, who we are sure will appreciate them.

To Mr. Galvin we leave a super atomic, cosmic, and radioactive necktie with a built-in neon sign bearing those proud initials *C. H. G.*

The Senior members of the Girls' Glee Club leave the "Mile of Pennies" to the class of 1965 with our best wishes for its completion.

To the freshmen we leave a book called, "Behave Yourself", written by the senior English classes. Its sequel, "Wasn't It Fun!" will be published shortly.

To Mr. Putnam we leave a volume entitled, "How to Detect Hydrogen Sulfide" (better known as rotten egg gas) in classrooms.

Norm Schneider and Betsey Galvin leave their driving ability to the Millers Falls Jalopy Racers.

Jinx Collins and Buddy Riel leave Mary LaChapelle and Nancy Podlenski temporarily, but they'll be back after them!!

DeeDee Lenois doesn't leave her continual chatter to any lower classman, for fear she couldn't get along in life without it.

Regina Sojka leaves her proud Polish name to her younger brother, Gene.

Shirley Kozik and Dorothy Hayde leave their "little red book" to Cathy Desautels and Betty LaRoche.

Betsey Galvin, Marilyn Reum, and DeeDee Lenois leave their march books and band music to anyone who can find them!

Herbie Gamlin and Ralph Akey leave the Mountain Road to Greenfield open to Nick Saledas.

To the High School we don't leave Miss Teed. We're going to take her with us.

Hacksaw Beaubien leaves his crew cut, horn-rims, and bottle-opener to Ray Bender.

Betty Sopollec and Paul Conway leave their ability on the basketball court to Betty Bergiel and Cooch Care.

Anne Pelletier leaves her taxi-cab service to Judy Laukaitis.

Mieczyslaw Mieczkowski leaves his famous name to posterity.

The Class of '52 leaves "The Snack Bar" to the Class of '53 — of G. H. S.

Billy Gay leaves his "Ipana Smile" to Joe Folk.

Tito Kozloski leaves his collection of Polish songs and the Brooklyn Dodgers to Red Piotrowski.

Freddy Lyman leaves the halo received from referees on the football field to Norm Gerber, who must polish it as faithfully as Freddy did.

To Miss Withington we leave a record of "The Funeral March", by Spike Jones and His City Slickers, for future first year typing classes.

Zino George leaves his gold encrusted plaque, "GOOD THINGS COME IN SMALL PACKAGES", to "Muscles" Councilman.

Bette Keough leaves her five gallon jug of "SUPER DUPER HAIR BLEACH" to Patty Kratz.

To Mr. Burke, Mr. Wrightson, and the entire faculty we wish to express our deepest gratitude and appreciation for the attention and guidance you have given us in the past four years.

With all sincerity we say to you — "THANKS!!"

Witnessed by —

MARILYN REUM

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Signed —

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FRED RIEL — Vice-president

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(Class Song of 1952)

Marilyn Kelly — Marilyn Rowan

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Al-ma Mat-er, to you al-ways true, We'll live fair and square, as

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We'll re-call mem'ries of your halls so dear.

Verse II Within your great walls we stud-ied for long hours
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Thru' the in-spir-a-tion of your white and blue.

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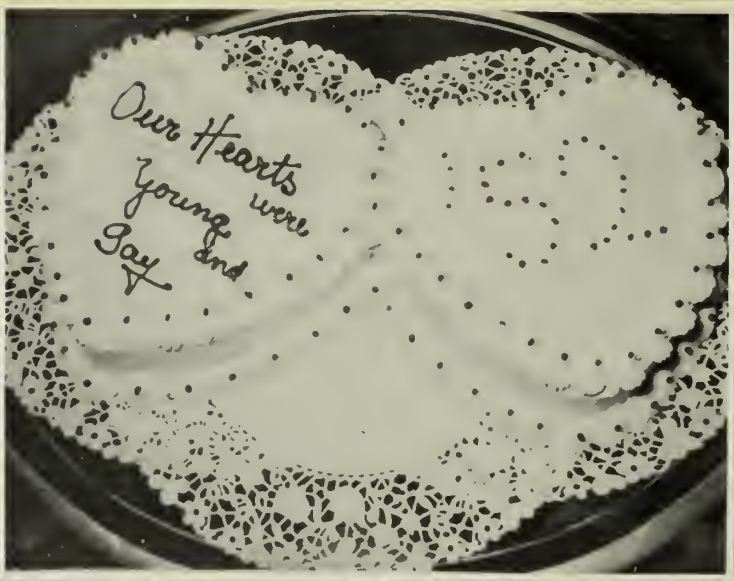
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Track Team

Football Team

The record of our 1951 football team may not be as impressive as in other years, but due credit must be given to the boys who, despite an abundance of adverse and oftimes erroneous criticism, attended practice regularly, never gave up, nor remained discouraged for long, and who entered each game with the traditional spirit and determination of a Turners Falls team .

Coach "Dutch" Schuldt employed a split T and, later in the season, added the double wing formation in an effort to strengthen a sometimes weak offensive attack.

The opposition was thoroughly scouted each week and Coach Schuldt devised a number of clever defenses especially to confuse and stop the opposing offense. Using these formations, our defensive unit proved to be a capable machine, particularly in the Greenfield game when they surprised everyone by holding the powerful Western Mass. Champs to three touchdowns.

In the other outstanding game of the year the Powertowners combined deceptive running and hard blocking with a stone wall defense as they upset a strong Drury team 18 to 7.

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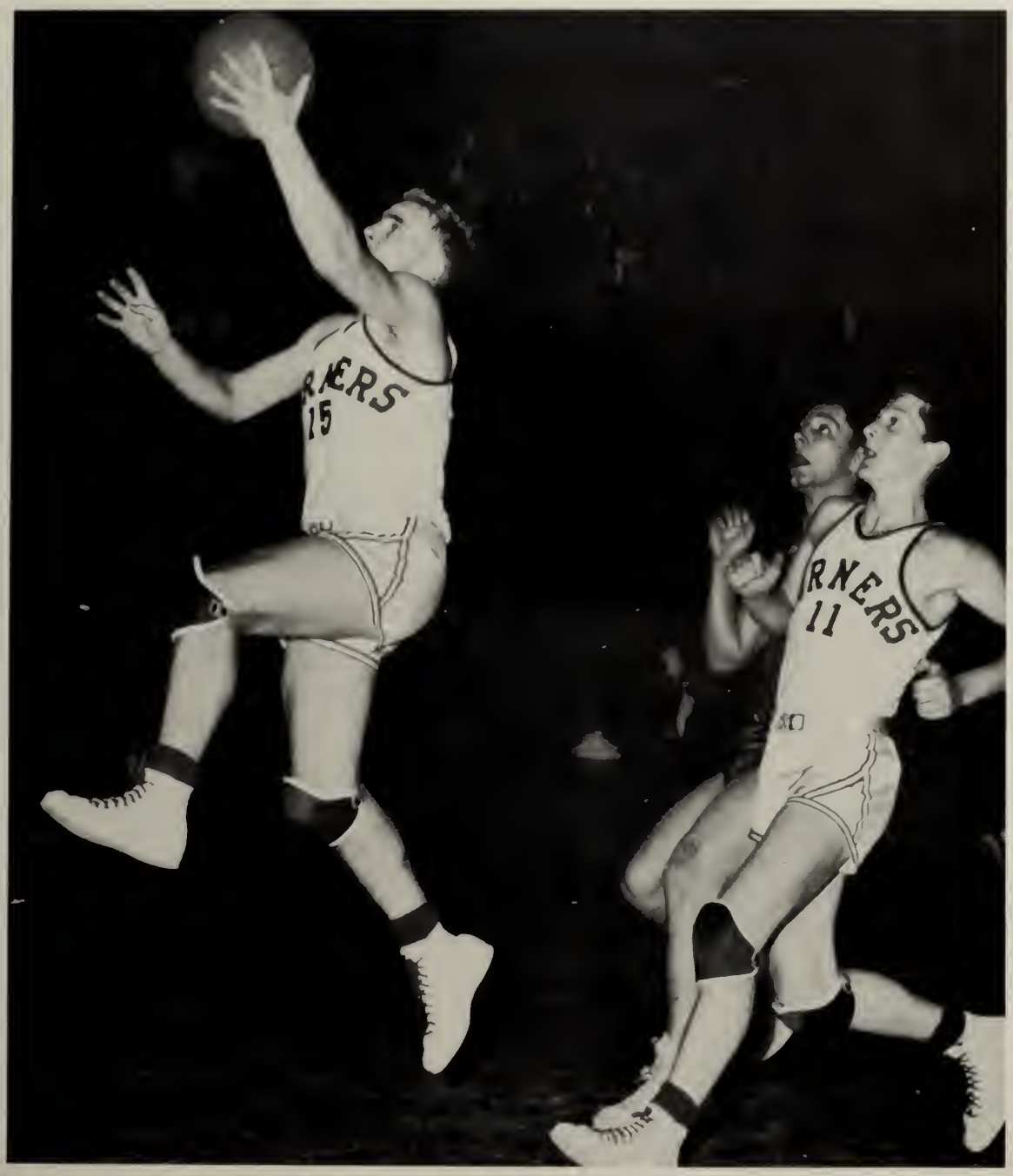
Boys' Basketball Team

This year the basketball squad consisted of a nucleus of three seniors and two returning lettermen with a promising array of juniors and sophomores eager to fill any opening in the line up. But the team was greatly handicapped by a lack of height and the inexperience of the boys.

Coach "Dutch" Schuldt, ably assisted by Mr. Bourdeau, introduced a unique style of play which was used with varying degrees of success throughout the season.

On the court the boys did their best and they maintained the Turners Falls' tradition of good sportsmanship.



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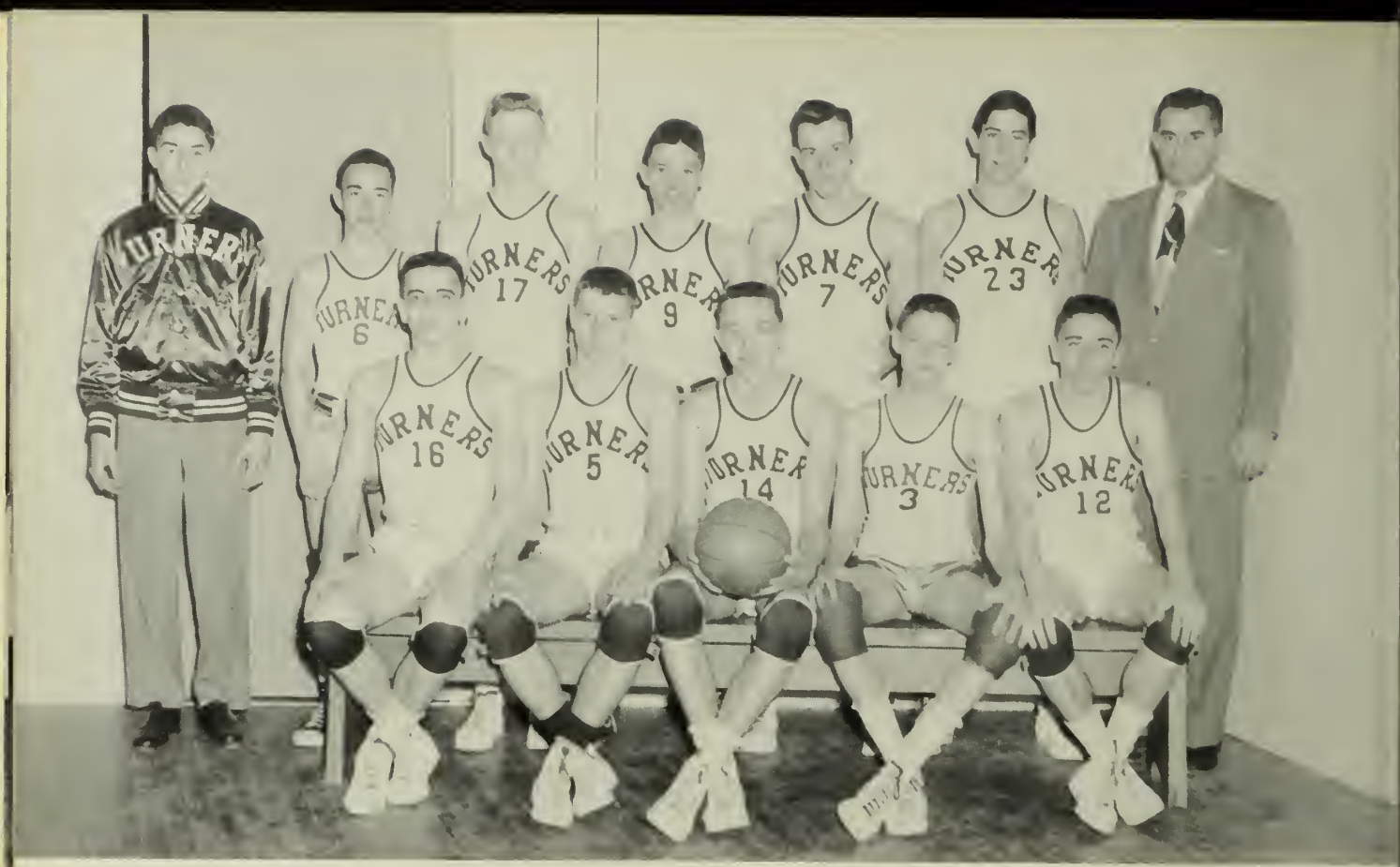
HENRY MADDEN

Hey Paulie, Wait For Me! !



Boys' J. V. Basketball Team

Girls' J. V. Basketball Team

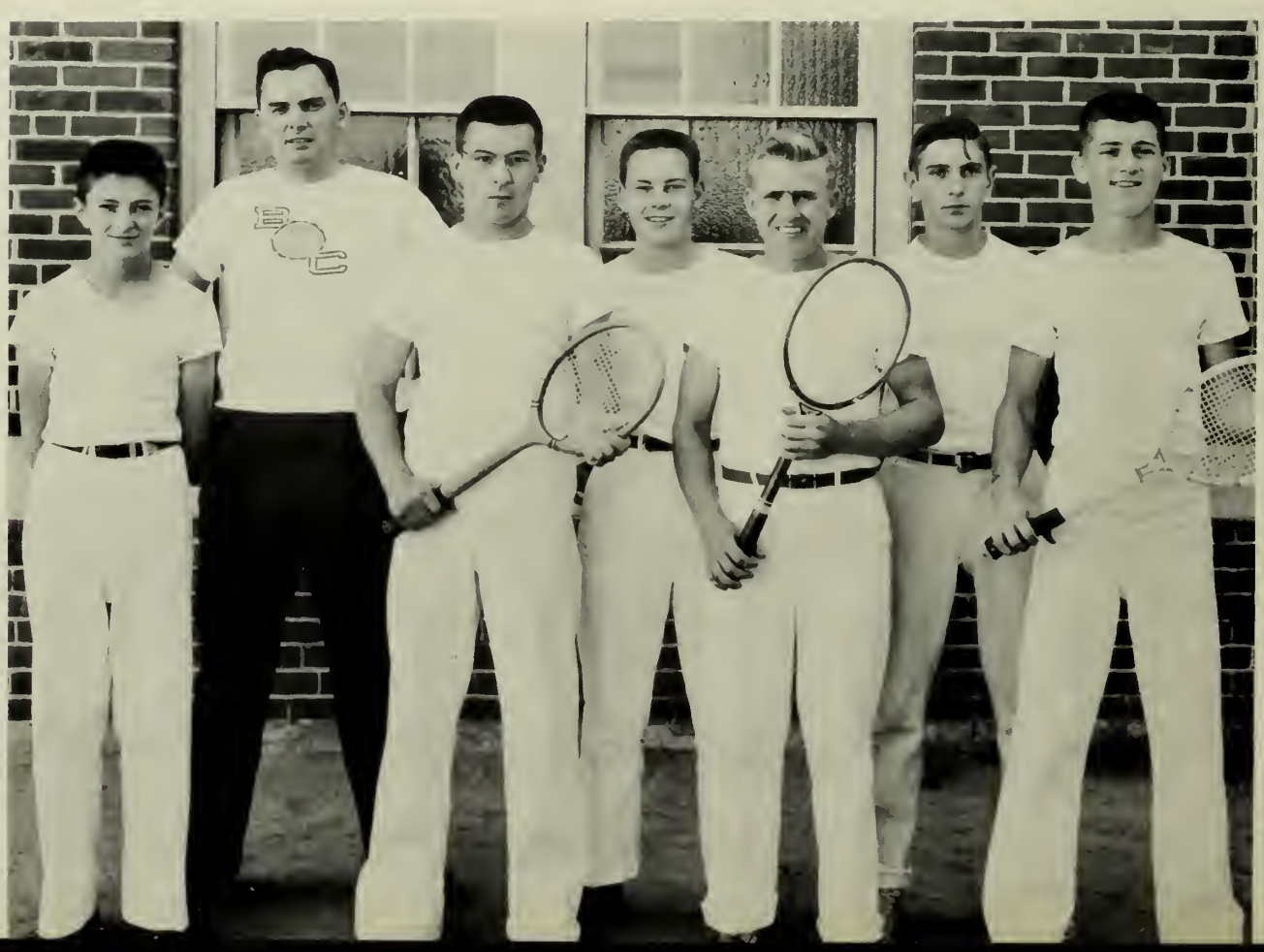
Girls' Basketball Team

Our girls' basketball team has had a most successful season. Teamwork overcame the lack of height and experience and brought us again to glorious victory.

The team numbering thirty under the capable leadership of their coach Mrs. Helen Reidy and their peppy captain Betty Sopollec worked hard, and conscientiously during the entire season. It is with a feeling of justifiable pride that they can look back on a time which taught them so much in the way of cooperation and in addition offered so much wholesome fun.

Baseball Team

Tennis Team



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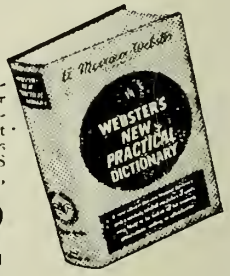

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